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In re the Patent Application of Michael S. Crone

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Title: COST REACTIVE RESOURCE SCHEDULER AND METHOD

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment (No Fee) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 NT PROCES ASSESSED.

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003 please amend the subject application as follows: